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E.O. 11652:GDS

TAGS: PFOR, POIP, WMO, SZ, VN

SUBJECT:PROPOSED "PRG" OBSERVER STATUS AT 7TH WMO CONGRESS

REF: A. MONROVIA 1116

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1. DEPT APPRECIATES REPORTS SUBMITTED REFTELS BY ACTION

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ADDRESSEES. AS YOU KNOW, USG STRONGLY HOPES A MAJORITY OF

RESPONDENTS WILL VOTE AGAINST "PRG" OBSERVER STATUS AT WMO. THIS MIGHT HELP DISCOURAGE "PRG" FROM SEEKING MEMBERSHIP IN WHO, WHICH IS ONLY UN SPECIALIZED AGENCY TO ADMIT MEMBERS BY SIMPLE MAJORITY VOTE. AT SAME TIME, WE WISH TO DENY "PRG" A "MORAL VICTORY" BY OBTAINING A SIMPLE MAJORITY OF VOTES AT WMO (THOUGH TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY REQUIRED FOR OBSERVER STATUS).

2. AT SUCH TIME AND AT MFA LEVEL YOU DEEM APPROPRIATE, THEREFORE (AND UNLESS YOU PERCEIVE OBJECTION), ACTION ADDRESSEES ARE REQUESTED TO FOLLOW UP IN LOW-KEY FASHION AND ASCERTAIN WHETHER HOST GOVERNMENTS HAVE CAST BALLOT AGAINST "PRG". DEADLINE FOR BALLOTING IS MARCH 23.

3. REPORT RESULTS APPROACHES BY PRIORITY CABLE, INFO AS ABOVE. INGERSOLL

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